

January 2007

Dear Interested Chandler Youth Commission Applicant:

Enclosed is an application for the Chandler Mayor's Youth Commission. The Commission is comprised of high school students who live in Chandler and was created to provide a voice for the youth of Chandler toward the betterment of the community. The Commission works to develop leadership skills among its members, provide service to the community, promote understanding and communication among youth and provide recognition for commendable achievements of Chandler youth.

Members are required to attend a majority of scheduled meetings and events. Once your application is received, you will be invited to a panel interview and a meeting. Official meetings are held on the **second Tuesday** of each month at 6:00 p.m. in Room 208 of the Community Center, located at 125 E. Commonwealth Avenue in downtown Chandler. If you are still interested after attending your first meeting, you are required to attend two more meetings before being recommended to Mayor and Council for appointment.

Please return your completed application and a letter of recommendation from a non-family member to:

Sara C de Baca
Community Services Department
Mail Stop 501, P.O. Box 4008
Chandler, AZ 85244-4008

If you have any questions about the Commission or the application process, please call me at 480-782-2712. We look forward to receiving your application for membership.

Sincerely,

Sara C de Baca
Recreation Coordinator II

CITY OF CHANDLER
APPLICATION FOR
MAYOR'S YOUTH COMMISSION

The Mayor and the City of Chandler appreciate your interest in serving on the Youth Commission. Please return this form to the Community Services Department at Mail Stop 501, P.O. Box 4008, Chandler, Arizona 85244-4008. If you have any questions, call Sara C de Baca at 782-2712.

You must attach one letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, coach, etc. – not a family member.

Date: _____

Name: _____
 First **Middle** **Last**

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Message Phone:** _____

Email: _____ **Birth Date:** _____

School: _____ **Grade:** _____

How long have you lived in Chandler? _____

Briefly explain why you would like to serve on the Mayor's Youth Commission:

Have you ever served on a Commission before (circle one) Yes No If yes, please list:

What expertise or knowledge do you have to offer to the Youth Commission:

What extracurricular activities do you participate in:

What would you like to see the Youth Commission accomplish:

Give some ideas on the needs of youth in Chandler today:

Please list some specific steps the City can take on meeting the needs you listed above:
